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SENATE LEGISLATION

SB-08F-2252

SB-08F-2252 :Definition of "Incumbent"

- 1
- 2 Whereas: The Student Government of the University of North Florida was established to represent student
- 3 concerns in all University wide matters, and;
- 4 Whereas: Under Title VI, 600.2-Definitions, it states that "The following words and phrases, when used in this
- 5 title, shall be defined as the following" and shall be held as binding in this code;
- 6 Whereas: Presidential/Vice-Presidential incumbents, in which both individuals are the same and running for the
- 7 same office, are not required to receive student endorsements;
- 8 Whereas: Elected Senatorial candidates, who are running as incumbents for an At-Large Seat or for the same
- 9 college seat, are not required to receive a student endorsement;
- 10 Whereas: Our election code within our Constitution and Statutes does not include a proper definition for the
- 11 term "Incumbent";
- 12 Whereas: The Current edition of Black's Law Dictionary shall be used in understanding the terms contained
- 13 within the Statutes:
- 14 **Therefore: To ensure the Student Body of the University of North Florida is accurately**
- 15 **represented, the following definition shall be added into Title VI: The**
- 16 **Election Code:**
- 17 600.2 Definitions
- 18 TT. Incumbent- One who holds and official post, or office.

Senate Action

Respectfully Submitted: ESAC Chairman, MA3 Joe O. Huskey

Introduced by: ESAC Chairman, MA3 Joe O. Huskey

Senate Action: Passed 23-0-0

Date: 9/15/2008

Signed, Brandon J. Eady

Brandon Eady, Student Senate President

Executive Action

Let it be known that SB-08F-2252 is hereby

PASSED / VETOED / LINE-ITEM VETOED

on this 19th day of Sept 2008

Signed, John R. Barnes

John Barnes, Student Body President